

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of

Shinya MATSUMOTO et al.

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Examiner: Javid A. Amini

Title METHOD OF AND APPARATUS FOR RENDERING AN IMAGE
 SIMULATING FLUID MOTION, WITH RECORDING MEDIUM AND
 PROGRAM THEREFOR

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated September 19, 2006, the applicant respectfully request reconsideration of the outstanding rejections.

Amendments to the Claims appears on pages 2 through 8 of this paper, with the applicant's **REMARKS** commencing on page 9.